Market closed in Green

Daily Market Update

The market closed in green today. The benchmark index DSEX (+0.63%) gained 32.94 points and closed at 5,267.89. The bluechip index DS30 (+0.20%), the Shariah-based index DSES (+0.59%), and the large-cap index CDSET (+0.51%) closed at 1,930.37, 1,176.05, and 1,061.08 points, respectively. Largecap sectors posted mixed performance today. Bank booked the highest gain of 2.54%, followed by NBFI (+1.26%), Food & Allied (+0.22%), Pharmaceutical (+0.14%), Fuel & Power (-0.06%), Telecommunication (-0.26%), and Engineering (-0.30%), respectively. Block trades contributed 2.7% of the overall market turnover. Grameenphone Ltd. (-0.2%) was the most traded share with a turnover of BDT 213 million.

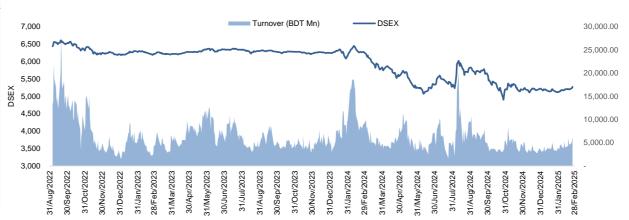
Index	Closing	Opening	Point ∆	%Δ	YTD %∆
DSEX	5,267.89	5,234.95	+32.94	+0.63%	+1.0%
DS30	1,930.37	1,926.50	+3.87	+0.20%	-0.5%
DSES	1,176.05	1,169.10	+6.94	+0.59%	+0.6%
CDSET	1,061.08	1,055.67	+5.41	+0.51%	-0.5%

	Advanced	Declined	Unchanged	Total
All Category	196	156	44	396
A Category (Equity)	123	71	24	218
B Category (Equity)	30	43	6	79
N Category (Equity)	0	0	0	0
Z Category (Equity)	43	42	14	99
Mutual Funds	13	10	14	37
Corporate Bonds	2	1	0	3
Treasury Bonds	0	0	0	0
* Based on Traded Scrips				

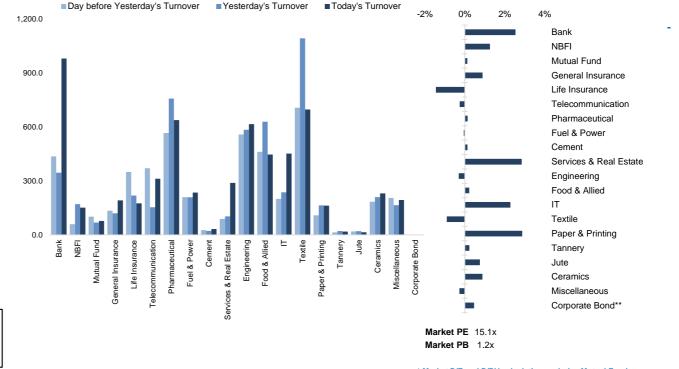
		Today	Last Day	Daily %∆
Мсар	Mn BDT	6,979,335	6,965,304	+0.2%
	Mn USD	57,208	57,093	TU.2 /0
Turnover	Mn BDT	6,072	5,443	+11.6%
Turriover	Mn USD	50	45	+11.0%
Volume	Mn Shares	277	232	+19.0%
No. of Trad	le	180,277	166,758	+8.1%

^{*} Average Interbank Exchange Rate is BDT 122.00 as of Feb 25, 2025

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^{*} Market P/E and P/BV calculation excludes Mutual Fund. Life Insurance, and NBL



Sector Index	Closing	Opening	Points Δ	%∆	No. of Companies	Mcap (BDT Mn)	% of Total Mcap		% of Total Turnover	PE	РВ	Top Twenty Market Cap	Mcap (BDT Mn)	% of Total Mcap	Turnover (BDT Mn)	PE	РВ
Bank	1,471	1,434	+36.41	+2.54%	36	695,897	10.0%	979.1	16.6%	9.0x	0.7x	GP	464,638	12.8%	213.5	12.8x	7.2x
NBFI	1,109	1,095	+13.79	+1.26%	23	105,673	1.5%	151.0	2.6%	NM	NM	SQURPHARMA	191,473	5.3%	55.5	8.6x	1.5x
Mutual Fund	583	582	+0.75	+0.13%	37	26,777	0.4%	77.5	1.3%	NM	0.5x	BATBC	187,218	5.2%	77.2	10.7x	3.2x
General Insurance	2,638	2,615	+23.15	+0.89%	43	75,307	1.1%	191.9	3.2%	13.4x	1.1x	ROBI	150,852	4.2%	72.1	21.5x	2.2x
Life Insurance	1,790	1,816	-26.36	-1.45%	15	47,595	0.7%	175.4	3.0%	NM	NM	WALTONHIL	143,134	4.0%	8.8	10.8x	1.3x
Telecommunication	5,454	5,468	-14.00	-0.26%	3	639,563	9.2%	311.5	5.3%	14.3x	4.3x	BEXIMCO	103,850	2.9%	0.0	NM	1.3x
Pharmaceutical	2,889	2,885	+4.07	+0.14%	34	547,747	7.8%	637.3	10.8%	13.2x	1.5x	BRACBANK	94,503	2.6%	107.2	8.5x	1.3x
Fuel & Power	1,106	1,106	-0.62	-0.06%	23	292,853	4.2%	235.1	4.0%	16.6x	0.6x	BERGERPBL	83,425	2.3%	0.3	24.3x	5.8x
Cement	1,848	1,846	+2.48	+0.13%	7	88,087	1.3%	32.1	0.5%	16.9x	1.9x	ISLAMIBANK	75,831	2.1%	77.5	16.2x	1.0x
Services & Real Estate	1,045	1,016	+28.97	+2.85%	9	57,455	0.8%	288.6	4.9%	20.4x	0.4x	MARICO	75,263	2.1%	19.3	13.4x	9.9x
Engineering	2,504	2,511	-7.65	-0.30%	42	282,430	4.0%	615.1	10.4%	12.8x	0.9x	RENATA	59,011	1.6%	4.9	19.9x	1.7x
Food & Allied	16,471	16,434	+36.96	+0.22%	21	301,376	4.3%	445.9	7.5%	16.4x	4.5x	LHB	58,069	1.6%	11.6	14.4x	2.9x
IT	2,076	2,030	+46.35	+2.28%	11	27,388	0.4%	451.3	7.6%	21.3x	1.7x	UNILEVERCL	48,685	1.3%	0.2	66.2x	20.7x
Textile	1,183	1,193	-10.78	-0.90%	58	123,161	1.8%	696.2	11.8%	74.0x	0.8x	ICB	45,965	1.3%	22.8	36.3x	1.1x
Paper & Printing	4,464	4,340	+124.77	+2.87%	6	20,170	0.3%	162.0	2.7%	NM	0.9x	DUTCHBANGL	45,699	1.3%	6.0	7.3x	0.9x
Tannery	1,948	1,944	+4.40	+0.23%	6	21,704	0.3%	18.3	0.3%	NM	1.6x	BXPHARMA	35,644	1.0%	73.4	5.6x	0.7x
Jute	12,420	12,327	+92.99	+0.75%	3	2,734	0.0%	14.6	0.2%	NM	NM	EBL	35,447	1.0%	3.0	5.4x	0.8x
Ceramics	409	405	+3.57	+0.88%	5	18,328	0.3%	230.4	3.9%	NM	1.1x	PUBALIBANK	33,895	0.9%	9.4	3.5x	0.6x
Miscellaneous	4,261	4,272	-11.59	-0.27%	15	231,375	3.3%	193.4	3.3%	94.7x	1.9x	POWERGRID	32,532	0.9%	4.5	NM	0.3x
Corporate Bond**	15,284	15,213	+71.00	+0.47%	16	33,475	0.5%	0.1	0.0%	NM	NM	CITYBANK	31,236	0.9%	71.6	4.4x	0.8x
Treasury Bond**	1.367	1.337	+30.68	+2.30%	235	3.339.768	47.9%	0.0	0.0%	NM	NM			•			

Top Ten Gainers	Close Price (BDT)	Δ %	Turnover (BDT Mn)	PE	РВ
BPML	34.4	+9.9%	10.4	NM	0.5x
SEAPEARL	35.7	+9.8%	94.6	NM	2.1x
SAFKOSPINN	11.3	+9.7%	3.5	NM	NM
ARAMITCEM	13.7	+9.6%	2.6	NM	NM
ABBANK	8.0	+9.6%	54.5	12.7x	0.3x
SIBL	10.3	+9.57%	24.5	9.0x	0.5x
ISLAMIBANK	47.1	+9.0%	77.5	16.2x	1x
IFIC	7.3	+9.0%	76.0	5.8x	0.4x
FIRSTSBANK	5.2	+8.3%	17.7	2.8x	0.3x
UCB	9.9	+7.6%	18.9	4.7x	0.3x

Close Price (BDT)	Δ %	Turnover (BDT Mn)	PE	РВ
22.5	-8.2%	48.7	NM	NM
8.1	-6.9%	14.1	NM	2x
10.6	-5.4%	20.7	NM	0.4x
10.4	-4.6%	13.1	24.8x	0.5x
6.7	-4.3%	8.9	NM	0.5x
31.4	-4.0%	9.1	NM	1.7x
15.3	-3.8%	7.2	20.1x	0.8x
10.4	-3.7%	34.1	45.1x	0.8x
16.3	-3.6%	73.5	NM	7.8x
11.2	-3.4%	10.7	NM	0.4x
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Top Twenty Free Float Mcap	Free Float Mcap (BDT Mn)	% of Total Free Float Mcap	PE	РВ
SQURPHARMA	108,958	7.7%	8.6x	1.5x
ISLAMIBANK	74,730	5.3%	16.2x	1.0x
BEXIMCO	69,463	4.9%	NM	1.3x
BATBC	50,233	3.6%	10.7x	3.2x
WALTONHIL	46,773	3.3%	10.8x	1.3x
BRACBANK	46,489	3.3%	8.5x	1.3x
GP	44,708	3.2%	12.8x	7.2x
RENATA	32,968	2.3%	19.9x	1.7x
BXPHARMA	23,409	1.7%	5.6x	0.7x
PUBALIBANK	22,905	1.6%	3.5x	0.6x
CITYBANK	21,020	1.5%	4.4x	0.8x
LHB	20,953	1.5%	14.4x	2.9x
OLYMPIC	20,496	1.5%	15.9x	2.5x
ALARABANK	18,282	1.3%	13.5x	1.0x
BEACONPHAR	17,838	1.3%	53.5x	4.7x
PRIMEBANK	16,142	1.1%	4.5x	0.7x
ROBI	14,876	1.1%	21.5x	2.2x
UTTARABANK	13,699	1.0%	8.9x	0.8x
NBL	13,055	0.9%	NM	2.6x
BSRMLTD	12,852	0.9%	5.4x	0.5x

*	NBFI Sector PE calculation methodology has been modified to reflect positive earnings only.
**	The base of the Bond index starts at 100, starting from Jan 13, 2022
	Similarly, Treasury Bond Index starts at 100 starting from Oct 10, 2022

Most Traded Share	Close Price (BDT)	Δ %	Turnover (BDT Mn)	PE	РВ
GP	344.1	-0.2%	213.5	12.8x	7.2x
AGNISYSL	28.9	+3.2%	212.2	19.4x	1.6x
SPCERAMICS	18.2	+3.4%	145.2	NM	0.6x
BRACBANK	53.4	-	107.2	8.5x	1.3x
BESTHLDNG	19.1	+3.8%	100.1	22.9x	0.4x
ORIONINFU	379.5	-1.4%	95.7	NM	24.8x
SEAPEARL	35.7	+9.8%	94.6	NM	2.1x
NRBBANK	13.9	+2.2%	84.4	22.9x	1.1x
RDFOOD	27.0	+2.3%	84.2	30.0x	1.6x
ISLAMIBANK	47.1	+9.0%	77.5	16.2x	1.0x

Block Trade	Maximum Price (BDT)	Minimum Price (BDT)	No. of Trade	Quantity ('000)	Turnover (BDT Mn)
ALARABANK	18.5	18.5	2.0	1,701	31.47
STANDBANKL	5.4	5.4	1.0	3,856	20.82
AMBEEPHA	690.0	690.0	1.0	25	17.16
JAMUNABANK	21.2	21.2	1.0	750	15.90
DHAKABANK	10.1	10.1	1.0	1,060	10.71
BEACHHATCH	108.8	102.0	7.0	96	9.97
LOVELLO	80.5	80.5	1.0	100	8.05
MERCANBANK	9.0	9.0	1.0	648	5.83
KBPPWBIL	167.0	165.1	2.0	33	5.44
BXPHARMA	82.0	82.0	3.0	62	5.08



Block Trade	Maximum	Minimum	Turnover	Quantity	No. of
	Price (BDT)	Price	(BDT Mn)	('000)	Trade
ALARABANK	18.5	18.5	31.5	1,701	2
STANDBANKL	5.4	5.4	20.8	3,856	1
AMBEEPHA	690.0	690.0	17.2	25	1
JAMUNABANK	21.2	21.2	15.9	750	1
DHAKABANK	10.1	10.1	10.7	1,060	1
BEACHHATCH	108.8	102.0	10.0	96	7
LOVELLO	80.5	80.5	8.1	100	1
MERCANBANK	9.0	9.0	5.8	648	1
KBPPWBIL	167.0	165.1	5.4	33	2
BXPHARMA	82.0	82.0	5.1	62	3
ACI	155.8	155.8	4.4	28	3
MARICO	2,386.9	2,386.9	3.9	2	1
PRIMELIFE	30.6	30.6	3.1	102	2
WALTONHIL	500.0	500.0	3.0	6	1
ORIONINFU	390.0	390.0	2.4	6	1
GPHISPAT	23.3	23.3	2.3	100	1
NAVANACNG	23.2	23.2	2.3	100	1
BBSCABLES	20.1	20.1	2.0	100	1
AMANFEED	27.9	27.9	1.3	45	1
PADMALIFE	20.8	20.8	1.0	50	1
CVOPRL	137.5	137.5	1.0	7	1
PRIMEINSUR	29.2	29.2	1.0	33	1
Total			165.2		45

Upcoming Corporate Events

DSE Ticker	Right	Div	idend	Event	Date
	Share	Stock	Cash		
GP		0.0%	170.0%	Record Date	26-Feb-25
BATBC		0.0%	150.0%	Record Date	26-Feb-25
SIPLC		0.0%	15.0%	Record Date	27-Feb-25
CITYGENINS		0.0%	10.0%	Record Date	27-Feb-25
CRYSTALINS		0.0%	12.0%	Record Date	2-Mar-25
RELIANCINS		0.0%	30.0%	Record Date	3-Mar-25
GREENDELT		0.0%	25.0%	Record Date	4-Mar-25
SUMITPOWER		0.0%	10.0%	Record Date	10-Mar-25
ROBI		0.0%	15.0%	Record Date	16-Mar-25

Important DSE News

BATBC

The company has informed that the Board of Directors of the company in its meeting dated 24th February 2025 approved the investment of BDT 24.90 crore for purchasing & installing laser jet printer in 36 SMD packing lines in both Dhaka & Savar factory. The investment will be funded from internal sources and bank financing based on the cash flow of the Company. The details are as follows: Printer cost: BDT 14.55 crore, Printer installation cost: BDT 10.35 crore and Total Estimated Cost: BDT 24.90 crore.

SINGERBD

The company has informed that the Bangladesh Economic Zones Authority (BEZA) has approved the Commercial Operation Approval of Singer Bangladesh Limited-Home Appliances Plant located at the Bangladesh Special Economic Zone (BEZA) at Araihazar, Narayangonj on February 24, 2025.

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